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ELECTRONIC BOOK FOR READING TEXTUAL INFORMATION FROM AN ELECTRONIC MEDIUM

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0337401A2] A universally usable electronic book is proposed, the text or picture information of which is stored in digital form on a storage medium (10) of high storage capacity. The storage medium (10) can contain one or many volumes of information. The digital information read out of the storage medium (10), converted into text and picture information, is displayed on a display (22). Appropriate commands make it possible to page forward and to page back. However, commands can also be issued via a touch-sensitive display or via a display (22) with a touch-sensitive part (104). By touching a particular word on a page or a particular point on a page, additional information concerning this word or this point can be requested. A new field is then inserted which contains this additional information. A second storage medium of lower storage capacity is preferably provided which is used for additionally entering information or for updating information items which are located on the storage medium of high storage capacity. Furthermore, data base functions in the sense of a word search and notebook functions are possible. <IMAGE>

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